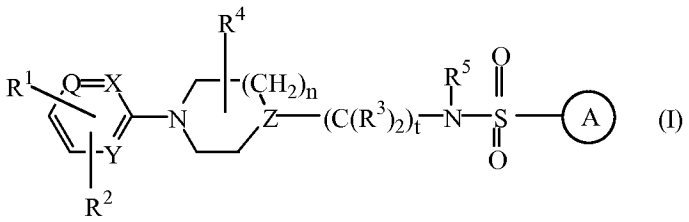
Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 1-13 (cancelled)

14. (currently amended) A compound of formula (I),



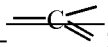
(I)

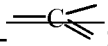
the *N*-oxide forms, the pharmaceutically acceptable addition salts and the stereochemically isomeric forms thereof, wherein

n is 0, 1, 2 or 3 and when n is 0 then a direct bond is intended;

t is 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4 and when t is 0 then a direct bond is intended;

~~each~~ Q is ~~nitrogen or~~  ;

~~each~~ X is nitrogen ~~or~~  ;

~~each~~ Y is nitrogen ~~or~~  ;

~~each~~ Z is ~~nitrogen or~~  ;

R^1 is –C(O)NR^8R^9, -N(H)C(O)R^{10}, -C(O)-C_{1-6}alkanediylSR^{10}, -NR^{11}C(O)N(OH)R^{10}, -NR^{11}C(O)C_{1-6}alkanediylSR^{10}, -NR^{11}C(O)C=N(OH)R^{10} or another Zn-chelating-group wherein R^8 and R^9 are each independently selected from hydrogen, hydroxy, C_{1-6}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl, aminoC_{1-6}alkyl or aminoaryl;

R^{10} is independently selected from hydrogen, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkylcarbonyl, arylC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkylpyrazinyl, pyridinone, pyrrolidinone or methylimidazolyl;

R^{11} is independently selected from hydrogen or C_{1-6}alkyl;

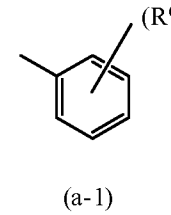
R^2 is hydrogen, halo, hydroxy, amino, nitro, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, trifluoromethyl, di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino, hydroxyamino or naphtalenylsulfonylpyrazinyl;

each R^3 independently represents a hydrogen atom and one hydrogen atom can be replaced by a substituent selected from aryl;

R^4 is hydrogen, hydroxy, amino, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, arylC_{1-6}alkyl, aminocarbonyl, hydroxycarbonyl, aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, aminocarbonylC_{1-6}alkyl, hydroxycarbonylC_{1-6}alkyl, hydroxyaminocarbonyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxycarbonyl, C_{1-6}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl or di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl;

R^5 is hydrogen, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{3-10}cycloalkyl, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkyl, di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl or aryl;

A is a radical selected from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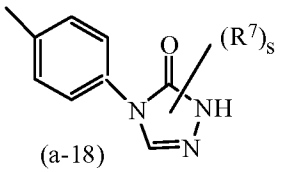
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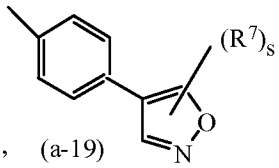
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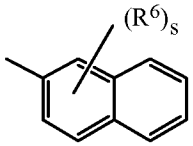
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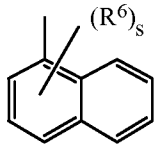
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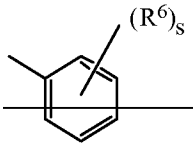
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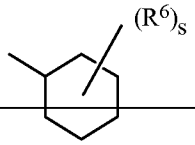
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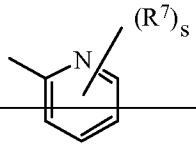
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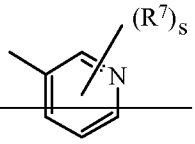
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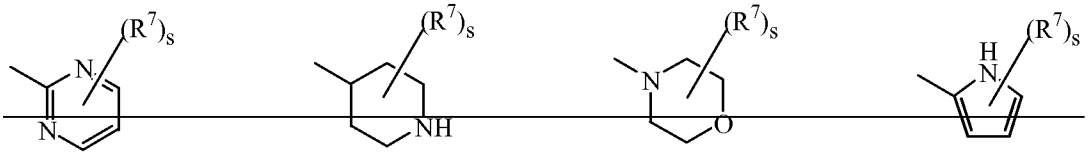

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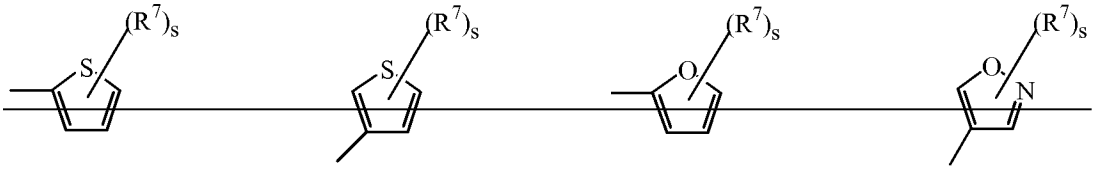

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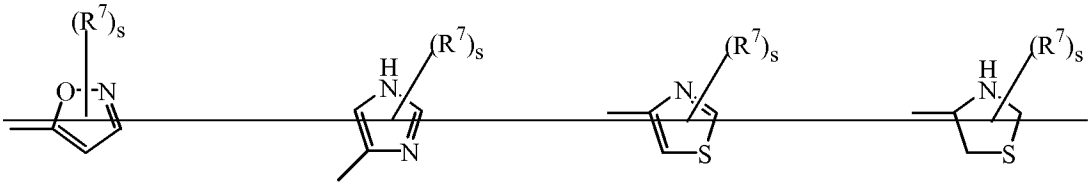

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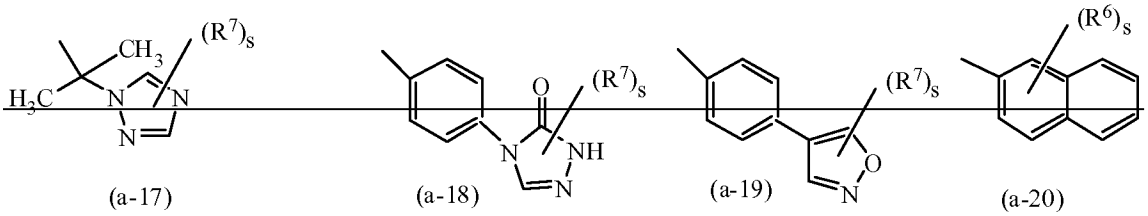

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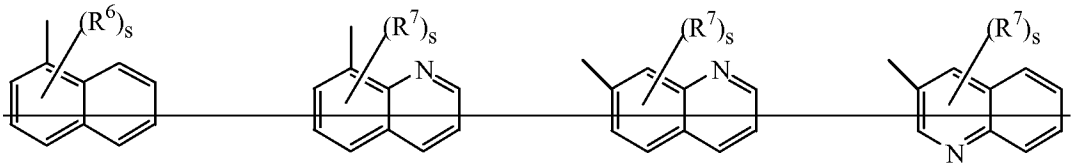

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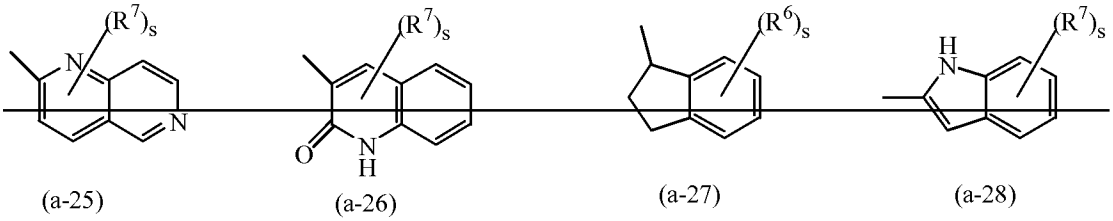

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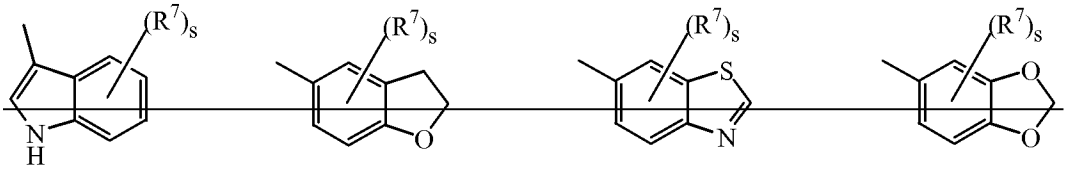

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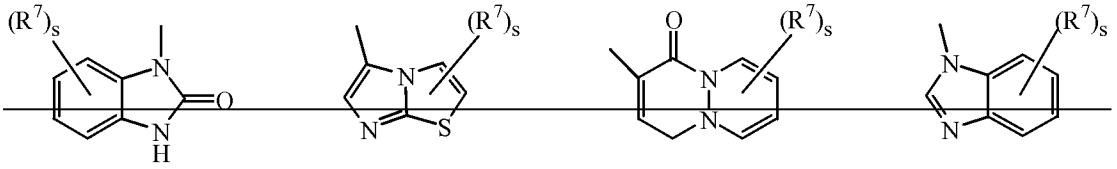

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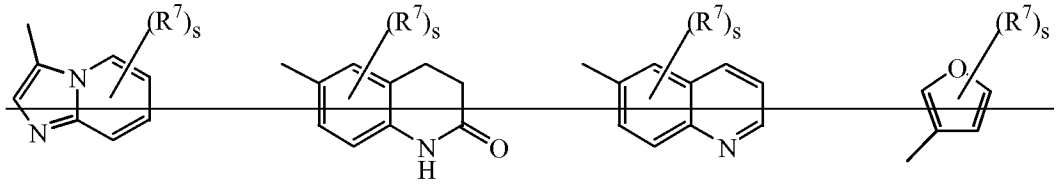

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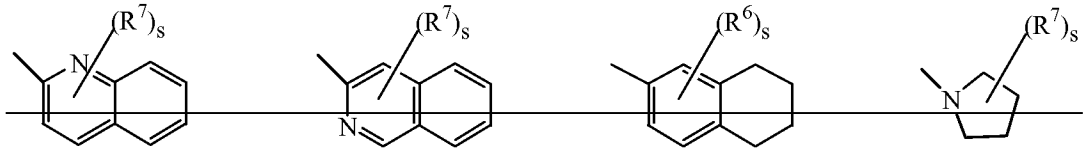

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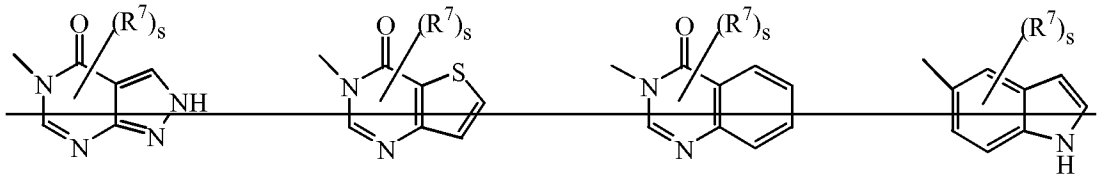

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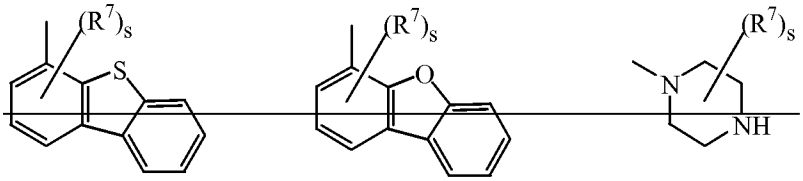

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wherein each s is independently 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5;

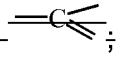
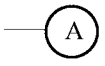
each R^6 and R^7 are independently selected from hydrogen; halo; hydroxy; amino; nitro; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyl; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyl substituted with aryl and C_{3-10}cycloalkyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkylcarbonyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxycarbonyl; C_{1-6}alkylsulfonyl; cyanoC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyloxy; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylamino; aminoC_{1-6}alkyloxy; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminocarbonyl; di(hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)amino; (aryl)(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyloxy; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkylamino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl; arylsulfonyl; arylsulfonylamino; aryloxy; aryloxyC_{1-6}alkyl; arylC_{2-6}alkenediyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; cyano; thiophenyl; thiophenyl substituted with di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl, di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxypiperidinyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxypiperidinylC_{1-6}alkyl, morpholinylC_{1-6}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, or di(hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; furanyl; furanyl substituted with hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl; benzofuranyl; imidazolyl; oxazolyl; oxazolyl substituted with aryl and C_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyltriazolyl; tetrazolyl; pyrrolidinyl; pyrrolyl; piperidinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; morpholinyl; C_{1-6}alkylmorpholinyl; morpholinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; morpholinylC_{1-6}alkyl; morpholinylC_{1-6}alkylamino; morpholinylC_{1-6}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl; piperazinyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; piperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; naphtalenylsulfonylpiperazinyl; naphtalenylsulfonylpiperidinyl; naphtalenylsulfonyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkylamino;

C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkylaminoC$_{1-6}$alkyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylsulfonyl; aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; aminosulfonylpiperazinyl; aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxypiperidinyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxypiperidinylC_{1-6}alkyl; piperidinylaminoC_{1-6}alkylamino; piperidinylaminoC_{1-6}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl; (C_{1-6}alkylpiperidinyl)(hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkylamino; (C_{1-6}alkylpiperidinyl)(hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; (hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; (hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl; di(hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; pyrrolidinylC_{1-6}alkyl; pyrrolidinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; pyrazolyl; thiopyrazolyl; pyrazolyl substituted with two substituents selected from C_{1-6}alkyl or trihaloC_{1-6}alkyl; pyridinyl; pyridinyl substituted with C_{1-6}alkyloxy, aryloxy or aryl; pyrimidinyl; tetrahydropyrimidinylpiperazinyl; tetrahydropyrimidinylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; quinolinyl; indole; phenyl; phenyl substituted with one, two or three substituents independently selected from halo, amino, nitro, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethyloxy, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyloxy, C_{1-4}alkylsulfonyl, C_{1-4}alkyloxyC_{1-4}alkyloxy, C_{1-4}alkyloxycarbonyl, aminoC_{1-4}alkyloxy, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyloxy, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminocarbonyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkylaminoC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminosulfonylamino(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, cyano, piperidinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, pyrrolidinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, aminosulfonylpiperazinyl, aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinyl,

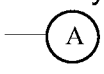
di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, C_{1-4}alkyloxypiperidinyl, C_{1-4}alkyloxypiperidinylC_{1-4}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyloxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyloxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, (hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, (hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, di(hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)amino, di(hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, furanyl, furanyl substituted with –CH=CH-CH=CH-, pyrrolidinylC_{1-4}alkyl, pyrrolidinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, morpholinyl, morpholinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, morpholinylC_{1-4}alkyl, morpholinylC_{1-4}alkylamino, morpholinylC_{1-4}alkylaminoC_{1-4}alkyl, piperazinyl, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinyl, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, piperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkylamino, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl, tetrahydropyrimidinylpiperazinyl, tetrahydropyrimidinylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, piperidinylaminoC_{1-4}alkylamino, piperidinylaminoC_{1-4}alkylaminoC_{1-4}alkyl, (C_{1-4}alkylpiperidinyl)(hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkylamino, (C_{1-4}alkylpiperidinyl)(hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkylaminoC_{1-4}alkyl, pyridinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkylamino, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkylaminoC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkylamino, aminothiadiazolyl, aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, or thiophenylC_{1-4}alkylamino;

~~each R^6 and R^z can be placed on the nitrogen in replacement of the hydrogen;~~

aryl in the above is phenyl, or phenyl substituted with one or more substituents each independently selected from halo, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, trifluoromethyl, cyano or hydroxycarbonyl.

15. (currently amended) A compound as claimed in claim 14 wherein n is 0, 1 or 2; t is 0, 1, 2 or 3; ~~each Q is~~  ; R^1 is –C(O)NH(OH) or $–NR^{11}C(O)C=N(OH)R^{10}$ wherein R^{10} is arylC$_{1-6}$alkyl and R^{11} is hydrogen; R^2 is hydrogen, C_{1-6}alkyl or naphtalenylsulfonylpyrazinyl; each R^3 independently represents a hydrogen atom; R^4 is hydrogen, hydroxy, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl or C_{1-6}alkyloxy; R^5 is hydrogen, C_{1-6}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl or C_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkyl;  is a radical selected from (a-1), ~~(a-7)~~ or (a-20); each s is independently 0 or 1; each R^6 is independently selected

from hydrogen; thiophenyl; furanyl; benzofuranyl; phenyl; or phenyl substituted with one substituents independently selected from C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl, C_{1-4}alkylsulfonyl or di(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino and each R^7 is independently selected from hydrogen.

16. (currently amended) A compound according to claim 14 wherein t is 0;
R^1 is $-C(O)NR^8R^9$, -C(O)-C_{1-6}alkanediylSR^{10}, $-NR^{11}C(O)N(OH)R^{10}$, $-NR^{11}C(O)C_{1-6}$alkanediylSR^{10}, $-NR^{11}C(O)C{=}N(OH)R^{10}$ or another Zn-chelating-group wherein R^8 and R^9 are each independently selected from hydrogen, hydroxy, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl or aminoC_{1-6}alkyl;
R^2 is hydrogen, halo, hydroxy, amino, nitro, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, trifluoromethyl or di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino;
R^4 is hydrogen, hydroxy, amino, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, arylC_{1-6}alkyl, aminocarbonyl, aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkylaminoC_{1-6}alkyl or di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl;
R^5 is hydrogen;
 is a radical selected from
(a-1), ~~(a-3), (a-4), (a-5), (a-6), (a-7), (a-8), (a-9), (a-10), (a-11), (a-12), (a-13), (a-14), (a-15), (a-16), (a-17),~~ (a-18), (a-19), (a-20), or (a-21)~~, (a-22), (a-23), (a-24), (a-25), (a-26), (a-28), (a-29), (a-30), (a-31), (a-32), (a-33), (a-34), (a-35), (a-36), (a-37), (a-38), (a-39), (a-40), (a-41), (a-42), (a-44), (a-45), (a-46), (a-47), (a-48) or (a-51)~~;
each s is independently 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4;
R^6 is hydrogen; halo; hydroxy; amino; nitro; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyl; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkylcarbonyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxycarbonyl; C_{1-6}alkylsulfonyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl; aryloxy; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; cyano; thiophenyl; furanyl; furanyl substituted with hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl; benzofuranyl; imidazolyl; oxazolyl; oxazolyl substituted with aryl and C_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyltriazolyl; tetrazolyl; pyrrolidinyl; pyrrolyl; morpholinyl; C_{1-6}alkylmorpholinyl; piperazinyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxypiperidinyl; pyrazoly; pyrazolyl substituted with one or two substituents selected from C_{1-6}alkyl or trihaloC_{1-6}alkyl; pyridinyl; pyridinyl substituted with C_{1-6}alkyloxy, aryloxy or aryl; pyrimidinyl; quinolinyl; indole;

phenyl; or phenyl substituted with one or two substituents independently selected from halo, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy or trifluoromethyl; and

R^7 is hydrogen; halo; hydroxy; amino; nitro; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyl; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkylcarbonyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxycarbonyl; C_{1-6}alkylsulfonyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl; aryloxy; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; cyano; pyridinyl; phenyl; or phenyl substituted with one or two substituents independently selected from halo, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy or trifluoromethyl.

17. (currently amended) A compound as claimed in claim 14 wherein

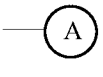
R^8 and R^9 are each independently selected from hydrogen, hydroxy, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl, aminoC_{1-6}alkyl or aminoaryl;

R^5 is hydrogen, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{3-10}cycloalkyl, hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkyl or di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl;

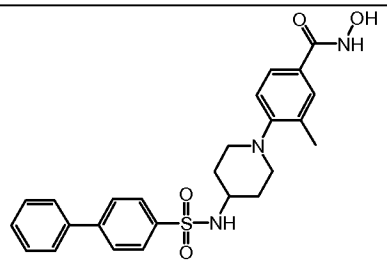
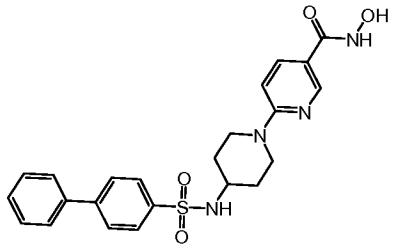
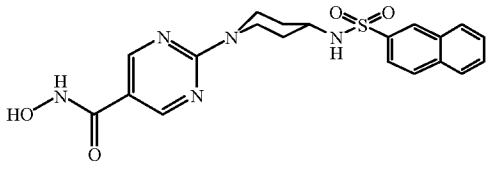
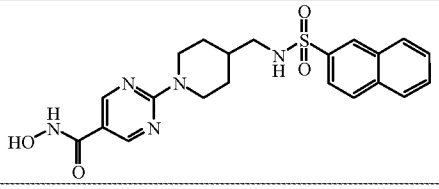
—(A) is a radical selected from (a-1), ~~(a-2), (a-3), (a-4), (a-5), (a-6), (a-7), (a-8), (a-9), (a-10), (a-11), (a-12), (a-13), (a-14), (a-15), (a-16), (a-17),~~ (a-18), (a-19), (a-20), or (a-21~~), (a-22), (a-23), (a-24), (a-25), (a-26), (a-27), (a-28), (a-29), (a-30), (a-31), (a-32), (a-33), (a-34), (a-35), (a-36), (a-37), (a-38), (a-39), (a-40), (a-41), (a-42) (a-43) or (a-44)~~;

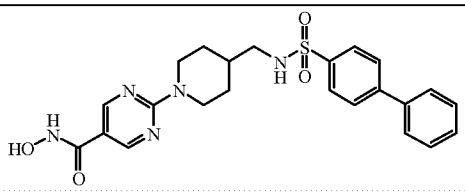
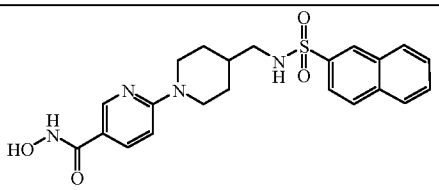
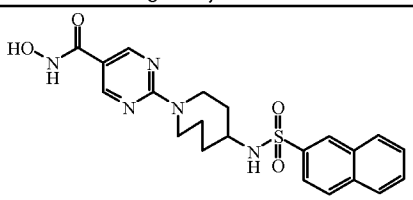
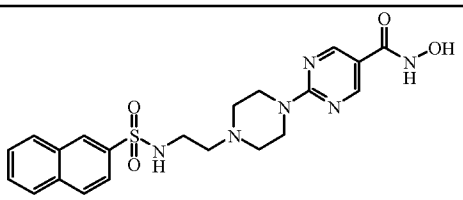
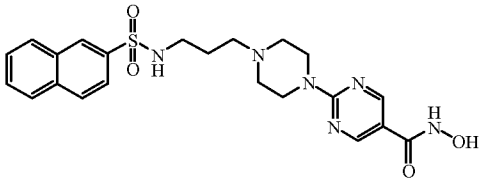
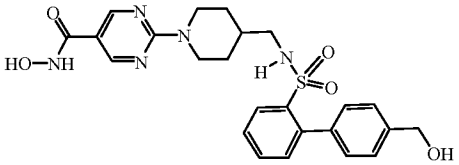
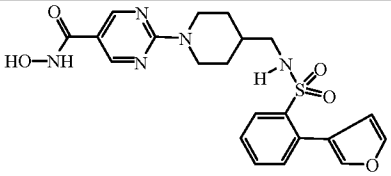
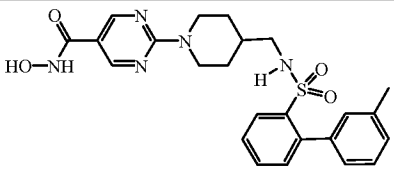
each R^6 and R^7 are independently selected from hydrogen; halo; hydroxy; amino; nitro; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyl; trihaloC_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkylcarbonyl; C_{1-6}alkylsulfonyl; cyanoC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyloxy; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylamino; aminoC_{1-6}alkyloxy; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminocarbonyl; di(hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)amino; arylC_{1-6}alkyl)amino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyloxy; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkylamino; arylsulfonyl; arylsulfonylamino; aryloxy; arylC_{2-6}alkenediyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; cyano; thiophenyl; thiophenyl substituted with di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl or di(hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; furanyl; imidazolyl; C_{1-6}alkyltriazolyl; tetrazolyl; pyrrolidinyl; piperidinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; morpholinyl; C_{1-6}alkylmorpholinyl; morpholinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy;

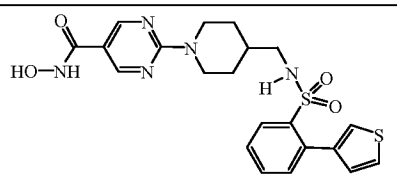
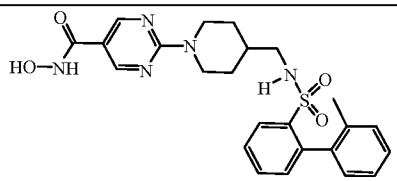
morpholinylC_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylsulfonyl; aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; aminosulfonylpiperazinyl; aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinyl; di(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxypiperidinyl; C_{1-6}alkyloxypiperidinylC_{1-6}alkyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinyl; hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-6}alkyl; (hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)(C_{1-6}alkyl)amino; (hydroxyC_{1-6}alkyl)(C_{1-6}alkyl)aminoC_{1-6}alkyl; pyrrolidinylC_{1-6}alkyloxy; pyrazolyl; thiopyrazolyl; pyrazolyl substituted with two substituents selected from C_{1-6}alkyl or trihaloC_{1-6}alkyl; pyridinyl; pyridinyl substituted with C_{1-6}alkyloxy or aryl; pyrimidinyl; quinolinyl; indole; phenyl; phenyl substituted with one, two or three substituents independently selected from halo, amino, C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl, trifluoromethyl, trifluoromethyloxy, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyloxy, C_{1-4}alkyloxyC_{1-4}alkyloxy, aminoC_{1-4}alkyloxy, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyloxy, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, piperidinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, pyrrolidinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, aminosulfonylpiperazinyl, aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinyl, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, C_{1-4}alkyloxypiperidinyl, C_{1-4}alkyloxypiperidinylC_{1-4}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyloxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyloxyC_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, (hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino, (hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkyl, pyrrolidinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, morpholinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, morpholinylC_{1-4}alkyl, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinyl, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, C_{1-4}alkylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyl, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkylamino, di(hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl)amino, di(C_{1-4}alkyl)aminoC_{1-4}alkylamino, aminothiadiazolyl, aminosulfonylpiperazinylC_{1-4}alkyloxy, or thiophenylC_{1-4}alkylamino.

18. (currently amended) A compound as claimed in claim 14 wherein n is 1 or 2; t is 0, 1, 2 or 3; each Q is  ; R^1 is –C(O)NH(OH); R^2 is hydrogen or C_{1-6}alkyl; each R^3 independently represents a hydrogen atom; R^4 is hydrogen; R^5 is hydrogen or C_{1-6}alkyloxyC_{1-6}alkyl;  is a radical selected from (a-1) or (a-20); each s is independently 0 or 1; and each R^6 is independently selected from hydrogen; thiophenyl; furanyl; benzofuranyl; phenyl; or phenyl substituted with one substituents independently selected from C_{1-6}alkyl, C_{1-6}alkyloxy, hydroxyC_{1-4}alkyl or di(C_{1-4}alkyl)amino.

19. (original) A compound according to claim 14 selected from the following compounds No. 13,
No. 15, No. 2, No. 5, No. 21, No. 4, No. 24, No. 32, No. 26, No. 36, No. 38, No. 39, No. 40, No. 41, No. 42, No. 43, No. 44 and No. 35.

 Co. No. 13	 Co. No. 15
 Co. No. 2	 Co. No. 5

 .0.7 CH_3OH; Co. No. 21	 Co. No. 4
 .0.23 $C_6H_{14}O$; Co. No. 24	 .0.82 $C_2HF_3O_2$ .0.82 H_2O; Co. No. 32
 .0.85 $C_2HF_3O_2$ .1.11 H_2O; Co. No. 26	 Co. No. 36
 Co. No. 38	 Co. No. 39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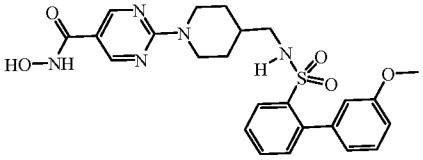	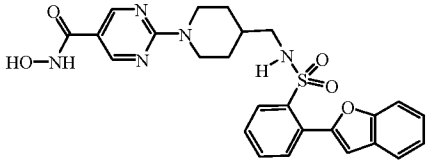
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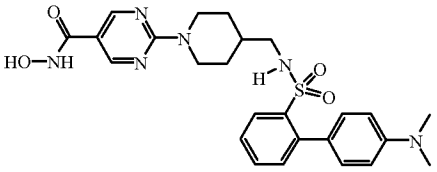	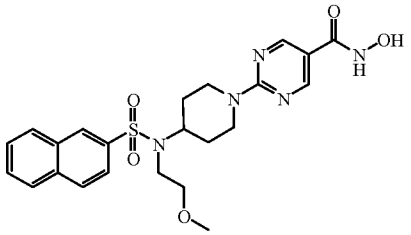
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20. (original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising pharmaceutically acceptable carriers and as an active ingredient a therapeutically effective amount of a compound as claimed in claim 14.

21.-24 (cancelled)

25. (original) A combination of an anti-cancer agents and a compound of Claim 14.